IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applicant:
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Hammons, Wai-Sze Tam
CUSTOMER NO. 29855

Docket No. 112-0011US

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For: Fault-Tolerant Updates to a
Distributed Fibre Channel Database

Distributed Sibre Channel Database

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 8, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.